

THE GAZETTE.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6
ABOUT THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

A correspondent of the Evening Wisconsin who lives in Milwaukee, writes a letter on the question as to who shall be secretary of state. He favors the re-nomination of Secretary Tamm, and in answer to the point that he has filled that office seven years, the correspondent says:

"Permit me to call your attention to the fact that S. D. Hastings was kept in office eight years as state treasurer, and any one year of his term in that office was worth nearly as much as all the salary received by Tamm during his entire term, which at the close of the present year will have been seven years. Mr. Hastings rendered no service to the country as treasurer, and to-day he is opposed to the re-nomination of Tamm."

Again, General Fairchild was secretary of state two years, then governor six years; then he was sent abroad and kept for two years in an office equally as important as that of secretary of state, and surely no one regrets General Fairchild's good treatment, in being thus kindly dealt with by both the state and national government. Keep him in the position that he occupies, and he will be a great asset to the state. That promise is as good to-day as when made."

There is no denying the statement that Tamm has made an excellent officer. Everybody knows that who knows anything about state affairs. If services of splendid character in civil life as well as in the war, are to be counted for a man, then Captain Tamm has the battle on his side, for he has been faithful and efficient wherever he has been tried."

In the very city of Milwaukee where other candidates live, there is a growing sentiment for the re-nomination of Tamm. The Evening Wisconsin, which is supposed to represent the feeling on the question in that city, strongly favors the re-nomination of the present secretary of state, and here is one sentence from that paper clearly showing its position: "There could be nothing more graceful in our state contest now opening, nothing that would command more instant appreciation, nothing that would more recommend Milwaukee county to the republicans of the state, and nothing that would make more votes for the whole republican ticket in November, than Mr. Woolsey's voluntary withdrawal in favor of Capt. Tamm."

YOU ARE QUITE RIGHT.

The Chicago Herald, a Democratic newspaper, does not look with much favor on the demand made by the Wisconsin anti-prohibition league, that Senator Spooner shall oppose the bill to make the liquor tax in the District of Columbia, \$1,000. It says:

"The notice served on a senator by the league and citizens of Wisconsin, that he should oppose the bill for a full license in the District of Columbia, falls with a bad effect on the average American mind. A great convention has gathered at Indianapolis for the purpose of opposing the action of the legislature of the state of Wisconsin on the liquor question. The average sense of the country recognizes the force of much that the prohibitionists say, and in obedience to that feeling, is inclined to restrict and regulate the liquor traffic. Experience teaches that a high license can be collected, and that it makes a certain requisite to society for the evils attending the selling of drinks. It is proposed to tax the whiskey shops at Wisconsin \$1,000 a year. Thereupon the makers of intoxicants in Wisconsin forward their veto to Senator Spooner. They tell him the country is in no humor for high license."

The distillers and brewers are seriously alarmed. The country is in no humor to hear from them at all. The people are already preparing to set on the liquor question, and high license is the most liberal arrangement which the whiskey men can reasonably expect. It may happen much worse for whiskey."

The Herald is quite right on one point: that the whiskey men make a mistake in this demand upon Senator Spooner. In the first place, Senator Spooner will not heed their arrogant demands; and in the second place, common decency would suggest that the whiskey-shop men should keep still. It will become the wreckers of homes and the destroyers of character to attempt to dictate what there shall be in the District of Columbia, or anywhere else, in fact. Such boldness as this only makes their cause worse. Public sentiment is growing more determined against the saloon. The country can not be dictated to by the liquor influence. It is bad enough, in all conscience, that the saloons are allowed to exist at all; but that they shall demand or even petition a United States senator to vote against a high taxation of the liquor traffic, is more than the people want to hear. Something much worse is going to happen for whiskey."

Sheridan's memoirs will soon be given to the public. The first volume is in the printer's hands; the second ready for type in a New York safety deposit vault. Sheridan came near writing a "Confessions" article, but his diffidence finally prevailed.

This is an item coming from New York. Blessed be General Sheridan's diffidence. It saved the readers of that magazine from the terrible effusion of reading another side to the stories of the war. The more one reads the Country war articles the less he knows about the war.

A great many people are wondering how it happens that Cleveland and his managers, who, four years ago, thought "Thurman was too old a man for the cabinet," now think he is just the right age for vice president. Then he was 73 and now 76.—*Inter Ocean.*

Oh, the best of west Thurman in '84, but wants him in '88. That's the difference. Then, in order to give the ticket sort of a respectability, they propose to put the brains in the tail. This is a poor place to put them but better there than nowhere.

General Sheridan is again reported better and feeling comfortably after his severe attack of Sunday.

Speaking about doubtful states, have the democrats heard from Oregon?

SWALLOWING THE PILL.

The Democratic National Convention Nominates Cleveland By Acclamation.

Tumultuous and Exciting Scenes During the Morning Session.

The Contest for Second Place Between Governor Gray and Allan G. Thurman.

With Strong Indications that the Ohioan Will Capture the Baudannas.

Governor Gray's Name Likely to be Withdrawn Tomorrow.

St. Louis, June 6, 9:50 a. m.—The Globe-Democrat this morning says the platform will be a series of compromises.

The Republic says: It will be an emphatic endorsement of the president's message and the Mills tariff bill.

The committee has reached no conclusion as yet and so still is in session.

10:17 a. m.—Mr. Watterson said this morning that everything in the platform was agreed upon except the preamble. Mr. Watterson wishes to endorse the president's message and Gorman the platform of 1884. Watterson says he thinks the platform will be ready this afternoon, but expects a fight on it in the convention.

10:23—The convention called to order.

10:25 a. m.—Rev. J. P. Greene, of Missouri, delivered the invocation.

10:30 a. m.—A resolution was adopted accepting the silver gavel from Colorado and placing it in the custody of the national committee.

Credentialed were received from Alaska and referred (amid laughter) to credentials committee.

10:35 a. m.—Mallory of Florida presented a resolution endorsing the president's tariff message. Received with cheers and applause. Referred to the committee.

10:44 a. m.—Report of credentials committee adopted unanimously.

10:44 a. m.—Committee on permanent organization reported the names of officers. Gen. Collins' name was greeted with applause and cheers.

10:47 a. m.—The mention of President Cleveland's name, in Chairman Collins' speech, was greeted with cheering and waving of arms and hats.

10:48 a. m.—Chairman Collins' concluded speech amid general applause. Chairman Collins' says he is sorry the chairman that the platform committee will not be able to report before eight o'clock to-night.

10:50 a. m.—Mr. Shewalter, of Missouri, presented a long resolution on the tariff, demanding that war taxes shall cease and denouncing the present tariff. Greeted with applause.

10:54 a. m.—The secretary read a communication from the Washington Woman's convention asking that a representative be allowed to address the convention ten minutes. On motion of O'Donoghue, of New York, the request was granted.

10:55 a. m.—On motion of Boyle, of Pennsylvania, all platform resolutions were ordered referred without reading.

10:56 a. m.—Hon. Tim Campbell, of New York, presented resolutions of respect on the serious illness of General Sheridan. (Applause) adopted.

10:57 a. m.—Mrs. E. A. Merrivether, of St. Louis, appeared and was greeted with applause and laughter and "cries of 'louders' from all parts of the hall.

10:57—The band struck up and shut off Mrs. Merrivether.

10:58 a. m.—The resolution of Piggott, of Connecticut, amended by Brown, of Tennessee, to make the time of meeting on adjournment eight this evening.

10:59 a. m.—Heales, of Pennsylvania, offered a substitute for roll call on nominations. Great cheering.

11:00 a. m.—Heales' resolution provides that no ballot be taken until the platform is adopted.

11:04 a. m.—Roll call for nomination has begun.

11:05 a. m.—Alabama voters the first to make the nomination to New York. Dan Dougherty was recognized to nominate Cleveland.

11:06 a. m.—Continued cheering and waving of hats; Dougherty takes the platform.

11:07 a. m.—Dougherty begins: "I greet you, my countrymen, with fraternal regards." [Applause.]

11:08 a. m.—Dougherty says: "I rise to name the next president of the United States." Great

A LITTLE BETTER.

A Slight Improvement Noticed in Sheridan's Case.

The Sick Warrior Has Not Lost Hope.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—Yesterday was a favorable day for General Sheridan. He rested quietly and apparently gained a little strength. The family feel quite cheerful. At no time has the General himself given up hope of recovery, and yesterday his mind was clear and he took considerable interest in things generally. He insisted upon knowing the news from the St. Louis convention, and dispatches from there were read to him from time to time. While there certainly has been an improvement in his condition it must be borne in mind that this is largely comparative and does not mean that he is better than before Monday's attack. Each attack leaves the General somewhat weaker and it is this fact which causes such grave apprehensions among his friends.

The General's face, which was very full, is somewhat thinner, and he has also fallen off about the body. No one is allowed to see him except the family and physicians.

The following bulletin was issued at midnight:

General Sheridan's condition has not changed materially since the last report. His respiration continues regular and his pulse is good in quality, ranging from 100 to 105 to the minute. His sleep during the entire evening has been restful and he has only awakened at regular intervals when required to take his nourishment.

PHILADELPHIA, June 6.—Dr. William Pepper, on his return from Washington yesterday afternoon, said: "I spent the night at General Sheridan's in consultation with his attending physicians. The bulletin issued this morning explains the cause of the alarming condition which developed yesterday afternoon. The hemorrhage was considerable, and I am sure that death would have resulted had it not been for the vigorous measures instantly adopted by the physicians. It is not at all rare for such hemorrhages to occur when the heart is laboring with failure of the cardiac power, so that the venous system becomes intensely congested. The excessive action of the heart during the night has been a serious factor in the case. It is impossible to assert that there may not be a recurrence of this hemorrhage, and such an event or the return of severe heart failure would place his life in imminent danger. On the other hand, there are, as shown in the bulletin of this morning, several favorable features about the present condition of the case. General Sheridan's courage is undiminished and his confidence in his attending physicians and the willingness with which he undergoes all necessary treatment are so absolute that materially assists the devoted efforts which are being made to bring the disease under control."

THOUSANDS LEFT HOMELESS.

The City of Holt, Ont., Ravaged by Flames.

OTTAWA, Ont., June 6.—Yesterday afternoon a fire swept over wards four and five of the city of Holt, opposite Ottawa. Destroying between three and four hundred houses and rendering over twenty-five hundred persons homeless. Six or seven blocks are now a smoldering mass of ruins. The fire broke out at about 2:45 in the city hall, situated in the center of the populous portion of the city, and the raging wind served to spread the flames with remarkable rapidity. The fire broke out in the city hall, situated in the center of the populous portion of the city, and the raging wind served to spread the flames with remarkable rapidity. The fire broke out in the city hall, situated in the center of the populous portion of the city, and the raging wind served to spread the flames with remarkable rapidity.

1:04 p. m.—Byron G. Street, of Michigan, takes the platform to second the nomination.

1:10 p. m.—When Missouri was called continued cries for Vest from the convention. He does not respond. Calls for Fellow we when New York's reached. Fellows shakes his head.

1:15 p. m.—H. W. Lightfoot, of Texas, seconded nomination. Cries for Daniels of Virginia, and great confusion for minutes. Daniels will not rise. Roll call completed.

1:17 p. m.—Motion of McKennie to suspend rules carried and Cleveland, nominated by acclamation.

1:22 p. m.—Flower, of New York, offers a resolution making recess until 10 a. m. to-morrow. Cries "No" and great confusion. Resolution defeated.

1:24 p. m.—Flower denies that he offered this resolution and offers one to make recess 3 p. m. Great confusion.

Voorhees, of Ind., moves to adjourn until 10 a. m. to-morrow and calls for roll of states.

1:28—Renel announces that he proposes that the convention order resolution committee to report. Cries of good and much confusion.

1:32—Flower moves to make the time of meeting 3 p. m. was carried.

1:34—Question on passage of Flower's resolution being raised. Call of states is ordered and is now proceeding.

1:45 p. m.—Flower's motion lost. Voorhees moves an adjournment until ten o'clock to-morrow morning and ask for a call of the roll; White, of Colorado, seconds it. The motion to adjourn to 10 o'clock to-morrow carried. Convention adjourned. Roll call was suspended by unanimous consent at the request of Tappan, of California and the motion to adjourn was carried by a unanimous vote.

2 p. m.—The committee to notify nominees will meet at 3 p. m.

The adjournment was carried at the request of the Indiana delegates, that it might confer with Governor Gray by telegraph. Governor Gray's friends in the delegation say his name will probably be withdrawn.

EIGHTEEN PERSONS KILLED.

Terrible Railroad Wreck in Mexico—Forty One Injured.

CITY OF MEXICO, June 6.—A railway accident occurred Monday evening just outside of Toluca in which many lives were lost. A construction train was derailed near a bridge by a cow and a donkey, which were on the track. The train crashed through the bridge and went down a embankment. The dead and injured were brought in yesterday. So far as known eighteen persons were killed and forty-one injured.

Republicans Carry Oregon.

PORTLAND, Ore., June 6.—Returns from all parts of the State accessible by telegraph indicate that Horner (Rep.) for Congress has 4,000 majority. The Democrats carry only two counties in the western half of the State. It is the largest Republican majority since the close of the war, and is a surprising alike to Republicans and Democrats. A still more surprising result is in the course for members of the Legislature. There are already members in both houses and of these the Republicans will have about sixty-six and the Democrats about twenty-four.

Another Plunk for Weaver.

CHICAGO, June 6.—Quincy, Ill., Weaver was yesterday committed for Congress in this district by the Union Labor party. The nomination was by acclamation.

One and a half dozen medicines are supposed to depend upon Acker's Blood Elixir has been prescribed for years for all impurities of the blood. In every form of Scrofula, Syphilis, Gonorrhea, etc., it is invaluable. For Rheumatism, has no equal. Sold by Prentice & Evenson O. P. O.

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200 JACKETS—Another purchase of 200 Street Jackets compels us to make a still deeper cut in price than we made a few weeks ago. The reason is this.

The season for them is advancing, and rather than carry them over we will sell them now when there is a demand though it be at a loss.—Jackets that were advertised then at \$2.50, we will cut to \$1.50. Jackets that were advertised then at \$3.00, we will cut to \$2.00. Jackets that were advertised then at \$4.00, we will cut to \$3.00. Jackets that were advertised then at \$5.00, we will cut to \$4.00. Never before was there a chance as favorable to buy new, nobby Jackets for a song.

A SPECIAL IN SUMMER VESTS.

One case—forty dozen—Swiss Ribbed Vests, for this day only, at 20 cents, regular value 35 cents. In the finer grades of Balbriggan we will offer some special drives for this sale.

A LEADER IN HOSIERY.

Ladies' regular made hair line stripes at 15c, value 25 cents. Ladies' Brilliant Lisle Thread at 33 cents, value 50c. Gents' Fine Cotton and Lisle Thread Socks at 33 cents, value 50 cents. An immense show of Children's Fine Hosiery on our 15, 20 and 25 cent lines, well worth seeing. Infants' Fancy Stripe Hose, size 4, 4 1/2, 5 and 5 1/2—we offer them as a dicer at 2 cents a pair. All through our Hosiery department we will show special things at special prices.

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AT JANESVILLE.

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If you want to buy stock of any kind, come to the market.

If you want to buy or sell produce or farm machinery, come to the market.

If you want to buy a buggy or carriage at your own price, come to the market.

Stalls and sheds for stock will be provided near the Park hotel, on the east side, and at the Central hotel on Franklin street and on River St., on the west side, FREE of charge to patrons of the market.

Cuttes for unloading stock from wagons will also be provided at each place.

Parties coming to the market will have an opportunity to take in the June meeting of the Northwestern Trotting Association which begins Tuesday, June 19th.

GRISWOLD & PALMER'S,

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LAWN MOWERS,

REFRIGERATORS,

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Of the latest improved Patterns.

Notice. Builders, Hardware, Garden and Farming Tools, Tin and Galvanized Iron Work, Hot Air Furnaces, etc., at the lowest Cash prices. Come and see.

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The new side-wheel steamer, Mayflower is now ready for business; she will make

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POPE'S SPRINGS PICNIC GROUND

at 6 o'clock a. m. and 4 p. m.

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The Picnic Grounds have been thoroughly fitted up and a new pavilion 20x20 feet provided for parties.

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At ten a. m., one, three and four o'clock p. m.

Each Saturday for School Parties, who will leave her dock at 9 o'clock a. m., and at 1 and 4 p. m.

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Special rates for parties and private parties apply to

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Elderly Ladies' Soft Shoes—"Crumbs of Comfort—for Tender Feet,"

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Janesville, Wis., May 25, 1888.

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For wall paper, window shades and fixtures go to King & Skelly's. Everything new.

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June Century for 29 cents at the live bookstore of J. Sutherland & Sons.

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Curtains of every description—by the pair or yard. Portiere curtains, window curtains in Chionette, Yale, Turkman, Roman Stripes, Madras, Antique, Hand-made Swiss, Fancy Blainie, Figured Muslin, &c., a complete stock of our Annex, two doors south of Main Store.

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10 cents for a good big book, at the open-eyed bookstore of J. Sutherland & Sons.

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Brown Bros. sell shoes, they also sell boots, but they never sell a customer on poor goods. You can't beat their prices or quality of stock.

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To RENT—A brick house on North Bluff street. Enquire at No. 3 North Fifth street.

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BRIEFLETS.

—Will Janesville celebrate the Fourth?—
 —June Century for 30c at the Magnet.
 —Mr. Jacob Strauss is registered at the Grand.
 —A. P. Davies is home from Elgin on a brief visit.
 —Annie Pringle will play at the opera house Saturday night.
 —Lithographs for the June trotting meeting are being put out.
 —All moire and fancy ribbons at greatly reduced prices at the Magnet.
 —Dances by the thousands at song festival Monday and Tuesday next week.
 —All Soule Dramatic club will give another social dance next Tuesday evening.
 —Save your twenty-five cents for children's song festival Monday and Tuesday of next week.
 —Ray Cressett & Bonesteel's Rising Sun, Fanny Patent and Golden Wedding Flour of O. E. Brown.

—During the month of May fifteen hundred and seventeen volumes were drawn from the city library.
 —Peashees and plums have made their appearance in market. All we lack now is water melons and coles.
 —For all the colors of the rainbow go to children's song festival next week Monday and Tuesday.
 —Wisconsin Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F., occupy Odd Fellows hall this evening—regular weekly meeting.
 —Full telegraphic reports of the St. Louis convention up to a late hour this afternoon will be found on another page.
 —Mrs. James Palmer, who has been spending some time in this city with her husband, has returned to her home in Racine.
 —The Modern Woodmen of America assemble in regular meeting this evening—large room in Court Street M. E. church block.
 —The white enamel buttons of the National Republican League are seen in the button holes of quite a number of Janesville politicians.

—There will be a meeting of the Philharmonic society at the Congregational chapel this evening. Members are requested to bring copies of the Messiah.
 —Levi Canfield to-day, completed 115 rods of sidewalk at Forest Park for that company, connecting Ringer avenue with South Main street, passing through the park.
 —Walter Scott, who has been for some time past, right hand man in Palmer & Stevens, will leave to-morrow for Waukegan, having accepted a position in one of the Waukegan drug stores.
 —Excursion over the O. & N. W. R. R. to Madison, Saturday, June 9. Train leaves Janesville at 10 a. m. Round trip, \$1.50. Tickets at Prentice & Evanson's. Good to return any time within three days.
 —Passengers running to catch trains at the Northwestern & St. Paul depot, complain of the alarm clock at Academy and Wall streets. They say the box is so placed that a man hurrying around the corner strikes it nine times out of ten.
 —Beloit will run an excursion train to Madison via Janesville, Saturday, June 9. Train leaves Janesville at 10 a. m. Round trip, \$1.50. Tickets at Prentice & Evanson's.

—Miss Alice Little started for her island home, Kure, to-day. She went on the noon train, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. C. C. Little, who will go as far as San Francisco. Quite a number of friends gathered at the depot to see Mrs. and Miss Little safely on the journey.
 —Increasing patronage has made it necessary to secure more ample switchboard accommodations in the telephone exchange. Twenty-five new switches have therefore been put in place and Manager Richardson smiles his best two-for-a-quarter smile and watches out for a boom in summer talking parties.
 —The funeral of the late Mrs. Ellen Powers, who died at the home of her son, James J. Casaday, in the first ward yesterday, will be held to-morrow morning at St. Patrick's church. The news of Mrs. Powers' death will come as a sad blow to the many friends of the family in this city, as, although she had been sick for some time past the end came very suddenly.
 —The grand benefit entertainment for the city hospital will be held on Wednesday evening of next week. It will be first class in every detail, and should be well patronized. The entire proceeds of this entertainment will be donated to the city hospital fund. The ladies having charge of the sale of tickets are requested to call at Heimstrech's drugstore for tickets.
 —Several from this city expect to attend the commencement exercises at the Whitewater Normal school June 15-22. Monday, Rev. H. D. Maxwell will deliver an address before the literary societies. Tuesday the oratorical contest in Normal hall will be held; Wednesday evening will be devoted to the senior concert; Thursday to commencement exercises proper, and Friday to public exercises of the Alumni association.

SOCIETY'S ARRIVAL.
 The best advice in the world for our braves, urores, uores, salt rheum, fever sores, leather, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25c per box. For sale by F. Sherer & Co.

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AN IMPORTANT TRANSFER.

The farm of H. P. Fales sold for Twenty Thousand Dollars.
 One of the largest transfers of real estate made in Rock county for some time is that of the farm of H. P. Fales to George Proctor. Mr. Fales is one of the best known farmers in Rock county. His farm consisted of two hundred and forty acres on the Emerald Grove road about four miles from the city.
 The price paid for the property is understood to have been \$20,000 or eighty-five dollars an acre. Mr. Proctor, who is a son-in-law of the late Silas Ford, will not take possession until October. Mr. Fales reserves the crops now in the ground for his own use.

THE SPIRITUALISTS.
 The Wisconsin State Association of Spiritualists will hold its next quarterly convention at Rehearsal Hall, Academy of Music Building No. 533 Milwaukee street, Milwaukee, Wis., June 22, 23, 24 and 25th, 1888.

Engaged speakers: J. J. Kotter, of Waukegan, Wis., and Mrs. E. L. Luthers, of Crown Point, Indiana, (formerly Mrs. Colby, of Boston, Mass.). Other speakers and test mediums expected to be in attendance. Hotel rates \$1 per day. Parties desiring to engage board can correspond with J. Spooner, local secretary, 470 East Water street, Milwaukee. The management have not yet set the time of publication been able to make special railroad rates, but hope to do so in time to notify by special circular.

This association is the broadest and most liberal philosophical organization in the west, and discusses with fraternal spirit all of the live issues of the day, pertinent to man's progression. All communications should be addressed to Prof. W. M. Lockwood, President, Kipon, Wis., or John Spooner, local secretary, 470 East Water St., Milwaukee, Wis.

THE WEATHER.

At seven o'clock this morning the thermometer indicated 66 degrees above zero. Clear with a northwest wind. At one o'clock p. m. the register was 67 degrees above zero. Partly cloudy with west wind. For the corresponding hours one year ago the register was 66 and 83 degrees above zero.

CONCERT FOR THE HOSPITAL.

The arrangements for the concert for the benefit of the City Hospital are going on finely. Apart from singing the most noble charity in Janesville, the persons who attend the entertainment will listen to a concert of high merit. It can be announced with certainty that Mrs. Hayden, of Milwaukee, Mr. Hughes of Chicago, Prof. Harry B. Arnold, Mrs. J. W. St. John, Mrs. T. F. McKay and Mrs. M. Day will have parts on the programme. All the participants have offered their services without price for this entertainment. The concert will be held at Myers opera house on Wednesday evening, June 13, and the price of tickets is thirty-five cents.

A CHAIXON ABSENT.

I wish to notify the public that I have engaged the services of a first class organist and am now prepared to do the finest work in organ, pedal, India ink, or water colors, at prices to suit your selves. I wish to call your